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ATTACHMENT/S: Pursuant to the telephone message received by the undersigned from the Examiner on September 6, 2002, attached is a copy of the undersigned's Amendment filed December 17, 2001 as well as a copy of the Post Card Receipt from the same indicating receipt by the Patent Office on December 17, 2001. A corrected Office Action, in place of the Office Action of August 13, 2002, with the date reset from the new mailing date, is requested.

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

Responsive to the Notice to Filing Missing Parts dated September 17, 2001,  
entry and consideration of the following amendments and remarks are requested.

**IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Amend the specification as follows.

Insert the attached English translation of the originally filed French language  
specification.

Insert the attached Sequence Listing after the claims pages.

**IN THE CLAIMS**

Cancel claims 1-11, without prejudice.

Add the following claims.